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News Notes Gathered In And About The Town.

Stiles Stirman is still very ill.

Miss Katie Savage is some better.

Mrs. M. V. Shaw is visiting her parents at Butler.

Miss Maggie Chancellor is quite sick with the mumps.

Miss Eddie Carpenter is quite sick at her home near town.

A number of the Junior Club enjoyed a fishing trip to the Licks yesterday.

Miss Jennie Kate Purnell, of Paris, has been the guest of friends here since Tuesday.

Miss Leona Letton will entertain a merry house party from Friday until Monday at her home near town.

Little Elizabeth Ingels, daughter of Mr. Ed. Ingels, has been quite ill for the past week. Mr. Ingels has also been quite sick.

About twenty relatives and friends from this place attended the McClintock-Collier nuptials, at Mt. Sterling, Wednesday.

The young ladies of the M. F. C. will give a recital in the college chapel this evening, after which the ladies of the vicinity will serve ices in the college dining hall.

Lieutenant H. T. Allen, United States Military Attaché of the Legation at Berlin, has sailed from Germany and is expected to arrive in Washington in a few days. Mr. Allen is a native of Sharpsburg and a brother of Cashier J. G. Allen, of this place.

The Carlisle Mercury says: "T. Reynolds Best, son of Dr. Best, of Millersburg, passed at Elizaville, with credit and honor a thorough examination in Greek, Latin, Hebrew, Theology, Church history, etc., and was licensed as a probationer for the gospel ministry."

DIED.—A telegram from St. Louis Tuesday announced the death in that city of John I. Moore, a former wealthy resident of Riddles Mills precinct. The remains will be interred in the Millersburg cemetery at eleven o'clock this morning.

Mr. W. G. McClintock, a successful young farmer of this precinct, and the popular assessor of Bourbon, was married in Mt. Sterling Wednesday to Miss Ida Collier, the handsome and charming daughter of Mr. J. M. Collier. The ceremony was performed by Prof. W. D. McClintock, of Chicago, cousin of the groom. A number of relatives from Millersburg, Paris, Riddles Mills and Lexington witnessed the ceremony.

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NORTH MIDDLETOWN.

Interesting Paragraphs Gathered By A Special Scribe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Redmon are visiting in Louisville.

K. P. Moore is making extensive repairs on his residence.

Prof. J. T. Patterson, of Lexington, is the guest of friends here.

Chas. M. Skillman succeeds ex-Judge Woodward as Police Judge.

H. A. Rogers, of near town, will remodel his residence in a few weeks.

The Town Council has rented a jail-house of John C. Gatewood, colored.

M. H. Current and F. M. Hurst, of Millersburg, were in town, Tuesday.

Mr. Elwood Harrison and wife, of Xenia, Ohio, are guests of Mrs. C. H. Meng.

Miss Emma Young, of Bath county, is the pleasant guest of Mrs. Lancelot Talbot.

John W. Willoughby has qualified and entered upon the duties of Marshal of North Middletown.

Ruth, the little daughter of Eld. W. S. Willis, of Flemingsburg, died last Tuesday of pneumonia.

R. M. Gilky and Miss Mary Rash canvassed all of the Wade's Mill section, Wednesday, looking for "College Day" accommodations.

SALES.—Mark Hendrix, of Paris, one cow to F. M. and C. Gillespie, \$37.25; H. Barnes, of Mt. Sterling, one brown horse to C. Gillespie, \$62.50; W. M. Jones, 54 hogs to F. M. and C. Gillespie, \$316.85; John Roseberry, of Paris, one cow to C. J. Daniel, \$42.50; Elmer Boardman, one heifer to C. M. Skillman, \$22.85; Letch Banister, one cow to F. M. and C. Gillespie, \$30.30; Richard Coater, 47 hogs to same, \$240.50.

Wednesday, June 1st, 1898, will be "college day" in the commencement week of the K. C. and B. College. It is estimated that fully one thousand people will be in attendance. It will take concert action, fine executive ability and systematic arrangements to entertain so many visitors, and we are ready and anxious to meet all demands for the occasion. We must make one request of those who expect to be our guests on that day: If you expect to attend on "college day," send your name to John T. Collins, Secretary of the North Middletown College Association, stating when you will arrive here and he will find a place for you to stop and notify you to affect. Don't impose upon us by unexpectedly coming in very last hour. It might not be so bad for you, and a tobacco company, in the result. The committee of plans is now at work arranging songs, speeches, a brass band, etc. Songs that were sung here forty years ago will be sung by those who sang them then. Mothers, yes, grandmothers will be school girls again. Be sure to let us hear from you early and there will be no trouble or worry.

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HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

Offered to the United States by President Dole for War Purposes.

Also Ammunition and Other Supplies—This Action Was Taken After a Conference With the Hawaiian Cabinet on the Situation.

HONOLULU, April 27, via SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—President Dole has sent a long communication to President McKinley offering to transfer the Hawaiian islands to the United States for the purposes of its war with Spain, and to furnish the American ships of war in Pacific waters with large quantities of coal, supplies and ammunition. This action was taken by the executive after a secret conference of the Hawaiian cabinet, called to discuss the position to be assumed by the government toward the two belligerents.

The news of the declaration of war by the United States against Spain was received here Wednesday by the Mariposa, which arrived from the Australian colonies with advices from the United States to the 16th inst.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Senator Frye, speaking of the report from Honolulu, said he hoped that the president would

REPORTED SURRENDER

Of Manila While Probably True, is as Yet Only Conjecture—The Report Has Not Been Confirmed.

LONDON, May 5.—Inquiries at the office of the Eastern Telegraph Co. show that at noon London time, the Hong Kong Manila cable was still interrupted.

The reported surrender of Manila, while probably true, is as yet only conjecture.

The principal Manila merchants in London, who have been interviewed on the subject agree that their latest letters show that the Philippine islands will be pleased to have the revolt ended, and will view with equanimity America's future action there. They all gladly hail the end of a condition of things which the merchants say is quite as bad as in Cuba.

NEW YORK, May 5.—A dispatch from Hong Kong to the Evening World says:

"Congratulations from Americans to Commodore Dewey in the shape of a large number of cable dispatches were forwarded to the daring commander Wednesday by the English cruiser Immortalite, which has left for Manila."

"The cable to Manila is still interrupted."

"No definite news of the engage-

SAMPSON'S SQUADRON

Leaves Key West and Will Meet and Annihilate the Spanish Fleet Now Coming Over—Startling News Expected Soon.

TAMPA, Fla., May 5.—It appears to be almost a settled belief among army officers here that no movement of United States troops toward Cuba will take place until after the meeting of the Spanish fleet with Rr. Adm. Sampson's squadron, which is now believed to be inevitable.

Nevertheless everything possible is being done to put the United States troops in readiness for immediate shipment. Plans for division hospitals and the allotment of surgeons were practically completed Wednesday. The first infantry, one of the regiments which will be landed in Cuba, was put through the emergency trenching drill, throwing up entrenchments with tin cups, skillets, tin pans or whatever was convenient and long practice marches in heavy marching order were given other regiments. Preparation for the landing of a large force of native Cubans at some point in Cuba within convenient reach of Gen. Gomez' army are being pushed as fast as possible. How large a force there will be is as yet uncertain. The Cuban recruiting offices that have been opened here are fairly overwhelmed with applications for enlistment, and it is very probable that 15,000 will be armed and ready for service under the banner of Gomez before the end of the week. Most of the Cubans who are now in the West Tampa camp have already had considerable military training. Their number is being constantly increased by arrivals from New York, Jacksonville and other recruiting points.

Between 30 and 40 young Cubans arrived here Wednesday from New York and will be followed by 150 more from there all enlisted at the junta headquarters.

Two or three United States naval officers, thoroughly familiar with the Cuban coast, are now in Tampa for the purpose of escorting the Cuban expedition to Cuba and will remain with it until the juncture with Gomez is effected.

OLD POINT COMFORT, Va., May 5.—It is the general expectation here that the Flying squadron will go to sea within 24 hours, or as soon as the cruiser New Orleans arrives. Commodore Schley has been notified that the cruiser Columbia has been detached from the squadron, and that the New Orleans will take her place. So far as fighting ability is concerned the Columbia, being more heavily armed and without so much free board and upper works to act as a target. The squadron as now constituted will consist of the Massachusetts, first class battle ship; Texas, second class battle ship; Brooklyn, armored cruiser; New Orleans, of the type of the Raleigh and Cincinnati, and the Scorpion, a fast armored yacht, with four four-inch and four six-inch guns. The Minneapolis has been officially detached and join the squadron. The square now accompanied by a fire tug for dispatch and water purposes, and the collier Steamer On the ships Wednesday fire and collision drills were gone through with in remarkable shape. On the Brooklyn the two score of hose connections were made and the tarpaulins spread in less than a minute and a quarter, while water was ready to be let into the magazines. During the collision drill, the water-tight compartments were closed and the mat to cover a break in the hull prepared for use in less than two minutes.

Lieut. Commander Daniel Delhanty, who is to command the Suwanee, arrived here Wednesday afternoon. The men on the squadron are very anxious to hear the particulars of Dewey's victory at Manila, and to what extent the squadron suffered.

LONDON, May 5.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Key West, sent by way of Tampa in order to escape censorship, asserts of positive knowledge that Rr. Adm. Sampson's fleet will steam at full speed to Porto Rico, either to destroy or to occupy the coaling station as a naval base before the Spanish squadron arrives and then put to sea and try to engage the Cape Verde fleet.

GEN. MERRIAM

Makes the First Move Toward Sending United States Troops to the Assistance of Commodore Dewey in the Philippines.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 5.—The first move toward sending troops to Commodore Dewey in the Philippines was made when Gen. Merriam, commanding the department of the Columbia and California, received instructions from the war department to send the Fourteenth infantry to San Francisco. Gen. Merriam, in accordance with instructions, issued an order for companies C, D, E, and F, to proceed at once to the Presidio. Companies A, B and H, now in Alaska, will be recalled immediately and sent there. Capt. Taylor, Fourteenth infantry, mustering officer for the state of Washington, has left for Tacoma.

Word has been received at Van Couver barracks that Col. T. M. Anderson, of the Fourteenth infantry, who is with his regiment in Alaska, is to be appointed brigadier general of volunteers.

May Wheat \$1.31 in Chicago. CHICAGO, May 5.—May wheat opened at \$1.21, as it closed Tuesday, and went to \$1.24½ in the early trading and then weakened. But at the afternoon session the bulls got in their work and sent it up a cent at a time till it reached \$1.31. Great excitement filled the room. The closing was at \$1.30.

Yest Vote on the Income Tax. WASHINGTON, May 5.—A vote, which was in the nature of a test on the income tax, was taken in the senate at 3:10 p. m. Wednesday, when an amendment by Mr. Mills was laid on the table by a vote of 32 to 29.

CABINET MEETING.

It Was Decided to Maintain American Supremacy in the Philippines.

The Islands Will Be Held as a Collateral to Secure the Payment to the United States of a War Indemnity—McKinley's Plans.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The cabinet meeting Tuesday resulted in a decision to await a report from Commodore Dewey and then to send him the number of troops he deems necessary to enforce our control of the Philippines. The whole session was consumed in a general discussion of past events. The administration has practically decided to occupy the Philippines with a strong military force as soon as possible after Commodore Dewey's report, which is expected by Wednesday, has been received. For this purpose Pacific slope troops will be used, and it is expected that at least 5,000 will be en route within

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

May Be Held By Uncle Sam Until After the War Ends, and Then Sold to the Highest Bidder.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The British embassy has received no reports of any character as to the Manila battle, so that there is no basis for the statements that the state department has been informed by British officials here that Manila has surrendered to Commodore Dewey.

In the absence of specific advices from Manila, members of the diplomatic corps are discussing with great interest the future course of the United States toward the Philippine islands. They do not doubt that the islands will be occupied by the American forces, if indeed the occupation has not already occurred. The only question on that point is said to be the number of men Commodore Dewey can spare from his fleet to make up a landing party sufficient to hold Manila and other points when large garrisons of Spanish troops are there. It is the feeling of the Philippines however which

Just What He Wanted.

One of the first men to reach San Francisco with a hoard of Klondike gold was an Irishman named Finnegan, who had been very poor before he struck it rich, and who, consequently, was unfamiliar with many ordinary uses of a life of luxury.

"O' say, yez kin bring me two dozen eyestars," he said, airily, as he took a seat in one of the finest restaurants in "Frisco."

The oysters were soon set before him, and Finnegan, looking about him for something to put on them, and hardly knowing what the something should be, spied a bottle of Tobasco and proceeded to season the bivalves, not wisely, but too well.

Impaling an oyster on his fork, he thrust it into his mouth, then leaped to his feet with a terrific roar, pain and began dancing about and yelling like a madman.

"See here!" cried the proprietor, rushing to the table, "keep still, or I'll put you out!"

"P-put me out, is it? O' wish yez would put me out," yelled Finnegan. "Me insides is black as a match factory!"—Harper's Magazine.

Fabulous Wealth. The "incalculable mineral wealth" of newly found mining regions largely run by syndicates and promoted by transportation companies is in too many instances really a fable. The product of the industry in legitimate fields of enterprise nearer home are far surer and promise more stable rewards. No one will go unrewarded in the matter of improved health who use regularly Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for malaria, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness, etc.

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When you don't know, be brave enough to say so. Besides, it is a good plan: "I don't know" will save you many a useless argument.—Atchison Globe.

Fortify Feeble Lungs Against Winter with Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

The baby in the cradle evidently thinks this is a pretty rocky old world.—Chicago News.

I could not get along without Piso's Cure for Consumption. It always cures.—Mrs. E. C. Moulton, Needham, Mass., Oct. 22, '94.

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Culpeper, Tex., says: Dr. M. A. Simmons' Liver Medicine is the best in the world for Biliousness, Indigestion and Torpid Liver. Have used it 10 years, and recommend it to my friends, and they all praise it. I think there is as much difference between it and "Zellin's" and "Black Drought" as between day and night.

Poisoness. Anemia is a condition often called "poverty of blood" from deficiency of the red corpuscles which give to this fluid its characteristic color. It arises from inefficiency of assimilation of the proper materials of food to replenish the blood, as in chlorotic girls. It may occur in persons who have long suffered with hemorrhoids, or in women from repeated discharges of blood from the uterus. It is a condition which renders their natural red color and becomes white and the face looks like wax.

The most efficient remedy for this condition is Dr. Simmons' Squaw Vine Wine. The improvement produced by its use is frequently almost magical; an enfeebled heart becomes strong and equal in its action, digestion improves, the lips and cheeks lose their pallor, and the eye becomes bright and the step elastic.

Go to your grocer to-day and get a 15c. package of

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Made from pure grains it is nourishing and healthful.

Insist that your grocer gives you GRAIN-O. Accept no imitation.

THE FIRST ROUND—AT MANILA.



"Take that! ye meanly Spaniard, To start the thing along; And if ye want another Ye'll git it good and strong!"

accept the offer made by President Dole.

Members of the senate committee on foreign relations generally interpreted the report from Honolulu regarding President Dole's tender to the United States to indicate a willingness to form an alliance with this country for the war with Spain. They say that for the Hawaiian islands to have held aloof and insisted upon remaining neutral would have been equivalent to refusing coal or granting any courtesies to the United States during the war, and that the action now taken will put the islands in the way of doing this country any favor possible.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Representative Newlands, of Nevada, has introduced a joint resolution for the annexation of Hawaii. It provides for the confirmation of the cession by the Hawaiian republic of all rights of sovereignty over the island and their dependencies and of cession and transfer to the United States of all public property and all its rights and appurtenances, assumes the Hawaiian public debt to not exceeding \$4,000,000, prohibits further immigration of Chinese and appoints five commissioners, at least two of whom shall be residents of Hawaii, to recommend necessary legislation. The resolution declares the islands and their dependencies "herby annexed as a part of the territory of the United States and subject to the sovereign dominion thereof."

Cruiser Charleston Goes Into Commission.

VALLEJO, Cal., May 5.—It is reported at the navy yard that the cruiser Charleston will go into commission Thursday morning, and immediately thereafter get under way for the Philippines. She is expected to convey to the Orient under all possible speed one or more of the fastest steamers that can be purchased in San Francisco, which will be loaded with ammunition, coal, food, clothing and troops.

Story About Another Spy. PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—A report is current here that a Spanish spy has been found on board the cruiser St. Paul and placed under arrest. The officers of the ship refuse to confirm or deny the story. The man it is said, is confined in the ships brig.

Russia and Germany May Intervene. LONDON, May 5.—It is learned from high official sources that Emperor William and Emperor Nicholas are very much disturbed as to the ultimate destiny of the Philippines, and that some sort of immediate intervention is extremely probable.

ment of Sunday or the reported bombardment of Manila has been received.

"American and English residents are jubilant over Dewey's splendid victory."

ON THE ROLL

Of the Immortals goes the Name of Commodore George Dewey for His Deeds of Daring.

LONDON, May 5.—Vice Adm. Philip Howard Colomb, retired, the inventor of improved systems for signaling at sea and the author of a number of naval works, in an interview on the subject of the splendid victory of the United States fleet at Manila, is quoted as saying: "I doubt if there ever was such an extraordinary illustration of the influence of sea power. A superior fleet has attacked and beaten a Spanish fleet supported by batteries and, it now appears, it passed those batteries and has taken up an unassailable position off Manila. The boldness of the American commander is beyond question. Henceforth he must be placed in the valhalla of great naval commanders."

Nothing can detract from the dash and vigor of the American exploit, nor dim the glory which Dewey has shed upon the American navy. It may be bad for the world, for assuredly the American navy will never accept a subordinate place after this exhibition of what it can do."

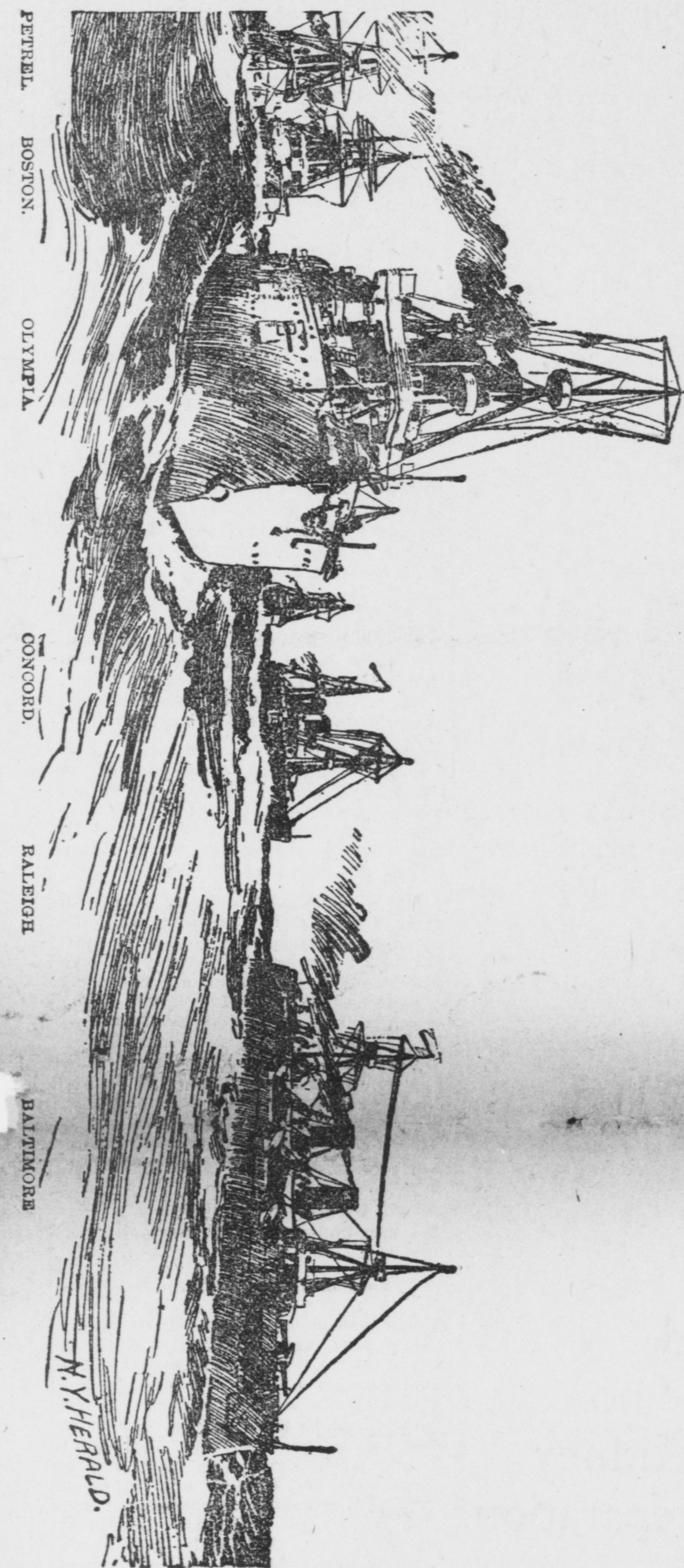
Spain Can Not Rely on the Army.

LONDON, May 5.—The Madrid correspondent of the Morning Post says: "The government is aware that they can not rely upon the army. It is an open secret that a society has been formed within its ranks to put an end to the humiliations Spain has suffered at the hands of her incompetent ministers. Judging by what one hears, very terrible things may shortly happen."

Aguinaldo to Co-Operate With Dewey.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the World says: Chief Aguinaldo has arrived and has had a conference with Consul Wildman. He has agreed to submit to Commodore Dewey's orders and he will conduct the land forces, and with 30,000 so-called insurgents, effectively back up Dewey when he gains control of Manila. He has promised to act in a humane way.

Oregon and Marietta Leave Rio Janeiro. BENOS AYRES, May 3 via Galveston, Tex., May 5.—The Oregon and Marietta have sailed from Rio Janeiro.



COMMODORE DEWEY'S FLEET, NOW IN PHILIPPINE WATERS.

the next ten days. There does not seem to be any doubt as to the government's purpose to hold these islands pending a final settlement with Spain, when they will be used as a collateral to secure the payment to the United States of a war indemnity. High officials are of the opinion that none of the powers will seriously dispute our right to make such final disposition of the islands as suits our purpose in the enforcement of war claims against Spain, and in any event this government will be prepared to contest any point which may be raised on this score. As indicated in Secretary Long's request Tuesday for an emergency appropriation, the government will take steps at once to supply Commodore Dewey's fleet with provisions and other supplies, including ammunition and coal, and to this end will dispatch at the earliest possible moment a sufficient number of ships to supply amply all possible needs of the Asiatic squadron. These supplies will be forwarded at once without waiting a decision of the question as to whether or not troops shall be sent out to relieve the commodore of the necessity of policing Manila with men from his fleet. One ship has been secured already as a collier. It is said to be a much faster vessel than those usually so employed, but it will take about three weeks to reach Manila, and she may stop en route at Honolulu to replenish her own coal supply from the large accumulation held there by Adm. Miller in order that the ship shall arrive at the Philippines with a full cargo.

Death of Hon. A. M. Sotelo. WASHINGTON, May 4.—Hon. A. M. Sotelo died here Tuesday. He was for some years minister from Venezuela, then solicitor of its legation, and recently its agent in the bureau of American republics. He was an authority among all the legations in regard to Central and South American diplomacy. The interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery, New York.

Seriously Shot by a Companion. COLUMBUS, O., May 4.—While playing war Tuesday Frankie Gould, aged 10, was seriously shot by a boy companion at the village of Gahanna.

most interests the foreign authorities here. As to this, a leading diplomatic official said it was unfortunate at this juncture that the assertion was made by leading men here that the Philippines would be taken and held at least until the war ended, when they might be sold to Great Britain or Japan. He pointed out that while this course might be a wise one in due time, yet its announcement now only served to awaken European powers at a moment when it was needless and impolitic to excite resentment in those quarters. There was no principle of international law, he said, which kept a victorious nation from enjoying the fruits of warfare, by holding territory gained in battle.

SPANISH GUNBOATS

Fire On the Hornet and the Fire is Returned—Thought One of the Gunboats Went to the Bottom.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 4.—A special to the Journal from Key West says: The Marblehead has arrived with the Argonauta, the Nashville's prize. While the Nashville was away from her prize capturing the mail steamer, two Spanish gunboats came out and attacked the Hornet. The Hornet returned the fire, the Marblehead coming into the action soon after.

After firing a broadside the Spaniards turned about. Capt. McCalla thinks he sank one of the Spaniards and probably both.

The fight occurred off Cienfuegos.

Price of Paper Advanced. APPLETON, Wis., May 4.—The price of print paper has advanced half a cent per pound since the war with Spain commenced. The mills are running night and day, and some of the book paper manufacturers are working on print paper in order to meet the demand.

Glass Workers Strike. MUNCIE, Ind., May 4.—A demand for higher wages being refused nearly 200 boys at the Muncie flint glass works struck Tuesday. The 600 hundred employees are all idle now. Nearly 2,500 glass workmen here are out of work.

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A Card Of Thanks.

EVERY reader of THE NEWS knows that where Paris' interests are concerned THE NEWS has been zealous in leading, or seconding the efforts of others, in all legitimate schemes to promote the City's prosperity. For year after year many columns have been devoted to extolling the manifold advantages of a residence in this community, and no opportunity has been neglected by THE NEWS to lend a helping hand.

And right here the present management of THE NEWS extends thanks publicly, as we have already in person, to the respective County officers and deputies and Court officials and every member of the Paris bar, for their numerous courtesies and substantial patronage—extended THE NEWS without exception by every one of them, both Democrats and Republicans—showing their hearty appreciation of all our efforts in the County's behalf. And heartily do we thank them, one and all. It is pleasant indeed to have these worthy gentlemen to voice their praise of THE NEWS, but when their kind wishes are backed up by substantial orders for advertising and job work there is no mistaking their sincerity. Again do we thank you, gentlemen.

And to the City Fathers, in their distribution of the City's advertising and City's job printing, for their favors, we are thankful—to a degree—commensurate with their favors.

So we live and hope as the years pass by. Maybe some day the City Fathers will remember THE NEWS with a bit of the City's advertising and job printing. Perhaps they'll discover their biased favoritism some day.

But we are thankful all the same, and THE NEWS is still pounding away twice-a-week in behalf of our lovely City, and right heartily do we push the interests of dear old Bourbon County, too.

Now is the time to subscribe.

GOSSIPY PARAGRAPHS.

Theatrical And Otherwise—Remarks In The Foyer.

John Fox will give a reading in Lexington to-night at the Merrick Lodge building.

A Washington composer has just issued a march entitled "Kentucky Girls." It is dedicated to Miss Mary Hearn, of Georgetown, and Miss Margaret Settle, of Owenton, daughter of Congressman E. E. Settle.

Yesterday's Temperature.

The following is the temperature as noted yesterday by A. J. Winters & Co., of this city:

7 a. m.	59
8 a. m.	60
9 a. m.	65
10 a. m.	68
11 a. m.	70
12 m.	70
2 p. m.	74
3 p. m.	75
4 p. m.	73
5 p. m.	70
7 p. m.	57

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Latest War News.

An anti Spanish uprising at Porto Rico was reported yesterday.

Up to three o'clock yesterday afternoon no official news had been received from Dewey concerning the battle of Manila, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

A cablegram from Paris says that England will support the United States if other powers intervene in favor of Spain.

On page three is printed a full page picture of sixty-one vessels of the American fleet. Four columns of war news are printed on page two.

Near Madrid yesterday 8,000 miners were rioting.

Mobilizing At Lexington.

THE Kentucky State Guards are being mobilized at Lexington; and it is thought that the entire quota will be mustered in by the middle of next week. One of the Lexington companies was mustered on Wednesday and the Williamsburg company, which passed through Paris yesterday morning at 4:30 was mustered in yesterday. The Middleboro company passed through Paris this morning at 4:30 en route to Lexington. The Cynthia Company will pass through Paris on the 11:05 train this morning.

The Winchester, Covington, Frankfort and Newport companies go into camp to day and the Georgetown company goes into camp to-morrow.

John Fox Going To Cuba.

THERE was a rumor afloat in Louisville concerning the early marriage of Mr. John Fox, Jr., and a very bright and attractive Louisville girl, says the Danville Advocate. This may be true, but there is probably a conflict in the dates. Mr. Fox was seen at the Read House in Chattanooga Saturday night, and gave evidence of a prospective journey with the invading army into Cuba. He was hobnobbing with high army officers and dressed for a long siege in the brush. Mr. Fox did not deny that he was going to Cuba on a special mission for the Harpers.

Call for Cavalry.

I am receiving applications for enlistment in Theodore Roosevelt's Special Corps, better known as "Rough Riders."

Applicants must be between eighteen and forty-five years of age, and in addition to regular physical qualifications must be expert riders.

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Buying Kentucky Horses.

Captain Carson, Quartermaster; First Lieutenant J. Y. Mason Bland, Third United States Cavalry; First Lieutenant J. C. Winn, Second United States Cavalry, and Veterinary Surgeon F. Foster, Tenth United States Cavalry, were in Nicholasville Wednesday buying horses for service in the United States Cavalry. The officers are now stationed at Chattanooga.

L. & N. Excursions.

THE L. & N. will sell round trip tickets at excursion rates, as follows:

Annual meeting B. P. O. E., New Orleans. Tickets on sale May 8th, 9th, limited 15 days from date of sale. One fare round trip.

State Assembly Presbyterian churches U. S. at New Orleans. Tickets on sale May 17, 18, 19, limited to June 4th. One fare round trip.

State Encampment G. A. R., Bowling Green, Ky. Tickets on sale May 24 and 25, limited to 28. One fare round trip. Louisville races. Tickets on sale May 3d to 20th inclusive, limited to 31st. One and one-third fare plus \$1 for admission to races.

Special rate excursion via L. & N. to Columbia, S. C., May 2, 3 and 4th, limited to May 21st, one fare round trip, account of the Quadrennial General Conference A. M. E. Church.

To Norfolk, Va., May 2 to 6, limited to 15 days from date of sale, with provisions for 15 days extension by depositing ticket with agent of terminal line in Norfolk, one fare for the round trip, account of Southern Baptist and Auxiliary Conventions.

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MEN, MAIDS AND MATTERS.

(Walter Champ in Up-To-Date.)

Some people in love imagine that the song in their heart is the only melody in the catalogue.

Looking through Hymen's spectacles often makes our affinities appear somewhat changed.

Don't imagine that your sweetheart yearns for you because her eyes show a longing look. She may be wishing for a '98 model wheel.

Marriage makes a reality an Easter bonnet that is a beautiful dream to a lover.

If stealing a kiss were petit larceny half the world would be self-confessed felons.

Women gossips ruin as many fair characters as do unscrupulous men.

Spain's presumption that she can whip Uncle Sam is the humorous rift in the war cloud.

A woman never thinks an Easter dress half as pretty when another woman wears it.

A kiss off turneth away wrath, and an onion off turneth away a kiss.

Don't trust a man who tells the confidences of other girls.

A bachelor wonders if a girl who wears false teeth and hair, hip pads and a drug store complexion can be true in love.

Jests From Comic Magazines.

[Written by Walter Champ]

ANY WOMAN CAN DRIVE IT.

De Jones—I've found a certain kind of a nail that my wife can hit every time.

De Browne—Impossible! What is the name of it?

De Jones—Thumb nail.

—[London (Eng.) Pick Me Up. UNMANNED.]

Hattie—Was Gladys much affected when the burglar entered her room?

Madge—Yes. She was completely unmanned. He stole her bloomers, collars, shirt, coat and Alpine hat. He only left feminine apparel.

—[New York Truth VERY FLOWERY.]

"Benton, I heard Miss Galtier talking about you in flowery terms."

"What did she say?"

"She said you were a blooming chump."

—[Chicago Up To Date]

THE time for Spring house-cleaning has arrived. We are prepared to lend you our assistance in the shape of laundering lace curtains, blankets, bed spreads, etc. Special care taken to return lace curtains in as good condition as when received.

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to which the Expectant Mother is exposed and the foreboding and dread with which she looks forward to the hour of woman's severest trial is appreciated by but few. All effort should be made to smooth these rugged places in life's pathway for her, ere she presses to her bosom her babe.

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Notice to Creditors.

All persons owing the estate of Mrs. Sallie A. Collins will please call on me and settle at once. Persons having claims against her estate, are requested to present them properly proven to me or to leave their claims for me at the law office of McMillan & Talbot, Paris, Ky.

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FOR RENT.

The house vacated by Dr. Jas. Kennedy, on Vine St., between Duncan Avenue and Stoner Avenue. Possession given May 1st. Apply to MRS. BLANCH ALEXANDER. (29apr-3t)

Stay Of Watters Party Limited.

The noted Watters Party will remain in Paris but a short time and the days which you can place your orders will soon be past. Their studio at the Hotel Windsor is a very busy place as they are putting the finishing touches on a number of portraits now almost ready for delivery. This opportunity to procure portraits by celebrated artists should not be neglected. Remember their stay in Paris is limited. (tf)

Call and see the new line of boys waists 25, 50 and 75 cents—at Price & Co's., clothiers. No trouble to show goods.

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See and ask of all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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From Cincinnati—10:58 a. m.; 5:38 p. m.; 10:15 p. m.
From Lexington—4:39 a. m.; 7:45 a. m.; 3:33 p. m.; 6:27 p. m.
From Richmond—4:35 a. m.; 7:40 a. m.; 3:28 p. m.
From Maysville—7:42 a. m.; 3:25 p. m.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS:

To Cincinnati—4:45 a. m.; 7:55 a. m.; 3:40 p. m.
To Lexington—7:50 a. m.; 11:05 a. m.; 3:45 p. m.; 10:21 p. m.
To Richmond—11:08 a. m.; 5:43 p. m.; 10:25 p. m.
To Maysville—7:50 a. m.; 6:35 p. m.
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To Louisville, May 9-11, good returning on 13th, account Music Festival and State Commercial Convention. Fare, \$2.90 for round trip.

To Lexington, May 4-9, good returning 10th, account of Epworth League. Fare, eighty cents round trip.

To Maysville, May 18-20, good returning 21st, on account of Conclave Knights Templar. Fare, \$1.50 round trip.

A Good Memory

often saves money and also good health. If you are troubled with constipation, indigestion or any form of stomach trouble remember to take home a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and health will be restored to you. Trial size 10c. (It does 100 large size 50c and \$1.00, of W. T. Brooks, druggist, Paris, Ky. (Jan.-m)

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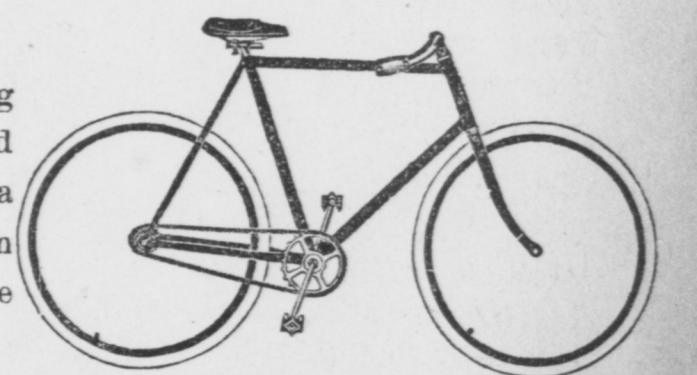
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DR. LOUIS LANDMAN, optician, of Cincinnati, will be at the Hotel Windsor, Tuesday.

NATHAN GARRETT, colored, was adjudged a lunatic Wednesday and was ordered taken to the asylum at Lexington.

DR. NELSON, the Danville dentist, who has located in this city, has rented the office formerly occupied by Dr. Buck.

FOUND.—A gold stick-pin with setting. Owner, by proving ownership and paying for this ad, can secure the pin at THE NEWS office. (1t)

BUCK FREEMAN's company of sixty colored volunteers gave a creditable drill last night on the court house square. The services of the company have been offered to Gov. Bradley.

THE tenth annual convention of the Seventh District W. C. T. U. was held in Georgetown Monday and Tuesday. The Paris W. C. T. U. was represented by Mrs. Sallie Pullen and Miss Emma Scott.

LOST.—On Saturday, April 30th, on streets of Paris, two lady's short shoulder-wraps—one a black cashmere, unlined; the other, black satin, lined with rose-colored silk. Return to THE NEWS office and get reward. (1t)

A WRECK on the Maysville division of the C. & O. caused two C. & O. trains, East and West bound, to pass through Paris Wednesday over the L. & N. They were not carrying troops as was reported on the streets in this city.

M. B. BRITTINGHAM, of the Hotel Britt, of Manchester, Ohio, and Constable Dawson, of Maysville, came to this city yesterday and arrested two men and one woman for jumping a board bill in Manchester. The parties were selling soap dust.

PHIL NIPPERT, who has been in the revenue service at Mt. Sterling and in the mountains, E. B. Hedges, who has been on duty in Maysville, W. A. Johnson, who has been at Vanceburg, and M. F. Kenney, who has been at Frankfort, have returned home.

MESSRS. A. J. FEE, John Brennan, P. I. McCarthy, Frank B. Carr, Owen Davis and Dan Peed, of the Paris Elk Lodge, will leave Sunday for New Orleans, to attend the National meeting of the B. P. O. E., which begins in the Crescent City Tuesday.

Winings Of Bourbon Turfmen.

Simms & Anderson stood eleventh in the list of the winning owners at the Memphis race meeting which closed Saturday. They won \$1,050.

Steel & Co., of this county, won \$717 at the Newport race meeting which closed Tuesday.

Brent Street Being Improved.

WORKMEN have been engaged for a week in laying sewers and setting back the fences on Brent street. The street will be widened and graded, and the side-walks will be made of concrete, and will have grass plats on each side between the curbing and the fences. A row of shade trees on each side of the street will make Brent street one of the prettiest streets in Paris.

Pictures at Reduced Prices.

Mr. Gibson, a first-class photographer, who is located at the corner of Eighth and Main streets, desires to inform the public that he is prepared to make strictly first-class pictures at prices as low as is consistent with good work.

He will develop and print kodak pictures promptly in first-class style. Work done when promised. He solicits your patronage. (6my4t)

The Woes of Evidoers.

MORRIS HUTSELL and Green Jackson, two colored boys, who stole butter from Mrs. Lou Ireland's, on Duncan avenue, were sentenced to thirty days at hard labor Wednesday by Judge Purnell. They are repenting in the city rock quarry.

LIZZIE PARKER and Chas. Rice, colored, were each fined \$28.25 Wednesday by Judge Purnell, for living together in Ruckerville without the formality of a marriage. Rice gave a replevin bond. The woman is sojourning in jail.

BUY no wall paper until you see J. T. Hinton's. (1t)

SEND your linen to Haggard & Reed's Steam Laundry for a good finish. (1t)

DILL pickle.
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Bourbon Guards Leave This Morning.

CAPT. CHAS. WINN yesterday received a telegram from Gov. W. O. Bradley ordering Company D to leave this morning to join the Second Regiment in camp at Lexington, and at 8:15 the ringing of the fire alarm bell add the court house bell announced to the people of Paris that the Bourbon Guards had been called out.

The company will leave over the L. & N. this morning at eleven o'clock for Lexington, and will be quartered at the Tattersalls. Company D will be mustered into the United States Army immediately by Captain John Ballance. Bourbon is proud of the brave and patriotic members of Company D. and it is not doubted that the company will do its duty fearlessly if called into active service. May each and every one distinguish himself in the service of his State and country.

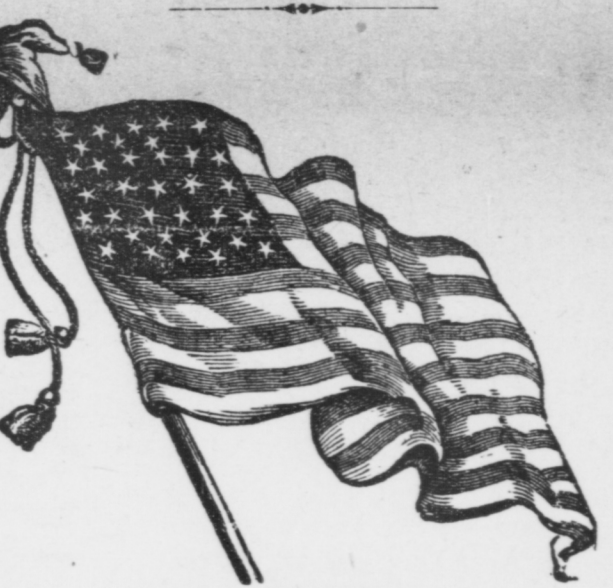
The company will be given a farewell parade this morning, and it is suggested that all persons who can should decorate their houses. All citizens who care to participate in the parade will be assigned positions by Mr. Rodolph Davis, Marshal of the Day.

The procession will form at half-past nine this morning on the court house square, and will move promptly at ten o'clock. All persons who desire to march in the procession are requested to be on hand promptly at the time and place mentioned.

Starting from the court house the line march will be: March North on Main to Second street. East to Pleasant, South to Eleventh, West to High, North to Broadway, East to Main, South to Tenth, East to L. & N. depot.

The order of the parade will be: Carlisle K. of P. Brass Band. Paris K. of P. Uniform Rank. Confederate Veterans.

High School Children. Paris Drum Corps. The Bourbon Guards. City Officials in Carriages. County Officials in Carriages. Paris Fire Department. Citizens in Carriages.



"Old Glory" Waves.

JAILER W. C. JONES and County Attorney Denis Dundon solicited subscriptions this week and bought a handsome flag which now flies from the tower of the Court house. It is twelve feet wide and twenty feet long. It was put in position by Mr. Jones and City Electrician Ed Hite.

Ed Hite has raised over the city building the flag which his father, W. O. Hite, the Confederate veteran, hoisted on every National holiday.

R. J. Neely shows his patriotism by flying a huge flag from his business house on Pleasant street, and J. T. Hinton has old glory floating from his store on Main street.

Prof. E. W. Weaver has a fine flag waving from the Paris High School, and Principal J. C. Graves has one on the Colored High School.

Many smaller flags are displayed at private residences.

Buck Freeman, the barber, whose colors have always been red, white and blue, has a flag out in front of his shop.

The Elks at Cynthiana.

An Elk Lodge composed of nearly thirty members was instituted at Cynthiana Tuesday night, the ceremonies being conducted by members of the Covington, Paris and Lexington Lodges. The Paris Elks present were Mayor Benj. Perry, W. E. Board, J. M. Brennan, P. I. McCarthy, J. K. Spears, A. J. Winters, Jas. Connors, Hugh Montgomery, A. J. Fee, Brooks Clay, Prof. A. M. Gutzeit, Jas. Condon, John Woodford, Chas. James, W. A. Parker, Jr., John S. Smith, F. B. Carr, Ned Owings and Dan Peed. Mr. E. T. Porter represented the Lexington Lodge.

EVERY piece of matting J. T. Hinton is showing is a good value. See them. (1t)

Don't use any other but Purify flour from Paris Milling Co.—tell your grocer you want no other. All grocers keep it.

PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—Mr. Ford Brent has returned from a trip to Eastern cities.

—Mr. Lotis Hood, of the L. & N., was in the city yesterday.

—Miss Louise Parrish has recovered from a seven weeks' illness.

—Mrs. H. H. Roberts goes to Georgetown to-day for a visit to relatives.

—Mr. James Burke and bride have returned from their wedding trip.

—Geo. R. Martin, of Carlisle, was in the city Tuesday on a business trip.

—Mrs. H. M. Santon and children are visiting relatives in Cincinnati.

—Mr. Albert Hoffman, of Mt. Sterling, was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

—Mr. Ira Taylor, of Cincinnati, was in the city on a business trip Wednesday.

—Mrs. Addie Chinn, of Mt. Sterling, is spending a few days with relatives in this city.

—Miss Alice Howell returned to Carlisle yesterday after a visit to Miss Lucy Johnson.

—Miss Mary Irvine Davis was the guest of Mrs. Ed Fennell, in Cynthiana, Wednesday.

—Mr. Elsie Vanarsdell, of Harrodsburg, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Mitchell.

—Mrs. Bettie Bedford and Miss Bessie Rogers are visiting relatives at Lyndon, near Louisville.

—Mrs. King, of Chattanooga, formerly Miss Lula Bishop, of this city, is here on a visit to her parents.

—Col. W. C. Hamilton, of Mt. Sterling, came to Paris Tuesday for a visit to his sister, Mrs. R. G. Stoner.

—Mrs. Mary Scott and son, Will Scott, of Lexington, are guests of Mrs. W. T. Brooks, on Duncan avenue.

—The D. A. R. was handsomely entertained yesterday by Mrs. C. M. Clay, Jr., at "Auvergne," near this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cheatham, who have been visiting relatives in Carlisle, have returned to their home in this city.

—John White has returned from a visit to his father Mr. G. G. White, at New Orleans. The latter will return about the first of June.

—Mrs. W. L. Wright, of Newtown, and her winsome guest, Miss Hallie Cozine, of Lexington, were guests of Mrs. Porter Smith, Wednesday.

—Miss Lucretia Barnes, of Nicholasville, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. E. Board, left Wednesday morning for a visit to relatives in Mason county.

—Mrs. Wm. Sayre and Mrs. Thos. Clay, of Lexington, came to Paris yesterday to attend the meeting of the D. A. R. They were guests of Mrs. W. W. Massie.

—Mrs. H. S. Stout has been very ill of fever for several days. She has been moved from the Hotel Fordham to the home of her grandfather, Mr. J. W. Holliday, on Eighth street.

—Mr. Amos Turney left Wednesday for New York to look after his stable of race horses. He was accompanied as far as Cincinnati by Mrs. Turney and Miss Lucy Colville, who spent the day in the Queen City.

SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And Comment.

Gen. C. M. Clay has given the Louisville Legion a \$200 flag.

A tollgate in Lincoln county was raided one night last week.

F. Clay Elkin was Wednesday appointed postmaster at Lexington.

Hon. W. C. Owens has had his life insured for \$20,000 on account of going into the army.

Rev. Geo. O. Barnes has offered his home at Sanibel Island, on the Florida coast, to the government to use as a hospital during the war.

The Rev. Dr. H. A. M. Henderson, once Superintendent of Public Instruction of Kentucky, has been made chaplain of the First Ohio regiment.

The L. & N. has been sued for \$25,000 in the Clark Circuit Court by the relatives of Ed. Shannon, who was killed on the L. & N., near this city, some time ago.

The Court of Appeals has reversed Judge Cantrill's decision disbaring Gen. J. W. Hendricks for refusing to surrender funds in his hands which he was holding for fees on money collected for the State. The court held that Hendricks must refund the money, but that the court had no right to disbar him pending the contest over his rights.

General Conference M. E. Church South, Low Rates Queen & Crescent Route.

The General Conference of the M. E. Church meets at Baltimore, Md., May 4th to 28th and tickets will be on sale at low rates from points on this line, selling May 2, 3 and 5. Ask agents for particulars.

READ J. T. Hinton's display ad, (1t)

NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Solemnizations Of The Marriage Vows.

Isaac Vice and Miss Bettie King, of Mt. Sterling, eloped to this city Monday night about twelve o'clock, and after awakening County Clerk Paton and securing a license, were married by Judge W. M. Purnell.

Thieving In The Country.

THIEVES stole eleven hams and shoulders from Silas Bedford's meat house, near Paris, Monday night.

Several nights ago thieves stole a lot of meat from John Estis, near Ewalt's Cross Roads, hauling it away in a wagon stolen from a neighbor. Before they could get away with the meat the horse gave out, and the thieves hid the meat in a hay stack on John Tate's place. The meat was discovered while they were gone after another horse, but the thieves returned and secured their booty though carelessness of the watchers.

Dental Society Meeting.

The Bluegrass Dental Society held an interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon and evening at the office of Dr. M. H. Daily, in this city. Papers were read by Dr. H. A. Smith, of this city, and Dr. A. C. Cook, of Georgetown. The members present were: Dr. Wallace Justice and Dr. Stapleton, of Winchester; Dr. D. C. Patterson, of Cynthiana; Dr. A. C. Cook and Dr. W. P. McQuown, of Georgetown; Dr. McFerran Crow, of Versailles; Dr. J. R. Adair, Dr. M. H. Daily and Dr. H. A. Smith, of this city. The next meeting of the society will be held in Cynthiana.

A Threatening Letter.

THE NEWS was yesterday shown a threatening letter received by a prominent citizen of Paris, who authorizes THE NEWS to state that if prompt and satisfactory retraction is not made immediately, the letter will be placed in the hands of government detectives. The penalty for the offense is a heavy fine and a term in the Federal prison. The person who mailed the letter is known.

Engineer Bob Black Dead.

ROBERT BLACK, one of the oldest and best known engineers of the Kentucky Central Division of the L. & N., died Monday at his home in Covington, aged sixty-six years. The deceased was injured in a wreck near this city about eight years ago. He held the record for one of the quickest runs between Lexington and Cincinnati, covering the 97 miles in two hours and seventeen minutes.

A Bold Robbery.

On his way to school yesterday Albert Helvey, colored, jumped the steps of Mann & Fuhrman's omnibus, and grabbed a purse from the hands of Mrs. King, of Chattanooga, who had just arrived to visit her father, Mr. T. H. Bishop, on Convent Heights. Constable Joe Williams arrested Helvey and recovered the money.

Bourbon Horses Win at Newport.

CLAY BROS.' bay filly Grievance, by Hindoo—Miss Used, won a \$250 purse from a field of twelve two-year-olds, Monday at Newport.

Tuesday Steele and Co.'s colt Horace won The Goodbye Purse from a field of nine horses, at Newport, Tuesday.

Parisians Saw The Derby.

Messrs. Catesby Woodford, J. Hal Woodford, L. V. Butler, C. Alexander, Jr., J. N. Davis, A. J. Gorey, Leer Stout and Dan Peed were among the Parisians who saw Plaudit win the Kentucky Derby at Louisville Wednesday.

STOCK AND TURF NEWS.

Sales and Transfers Of Stock, Crop, Etc. Turf Notes.

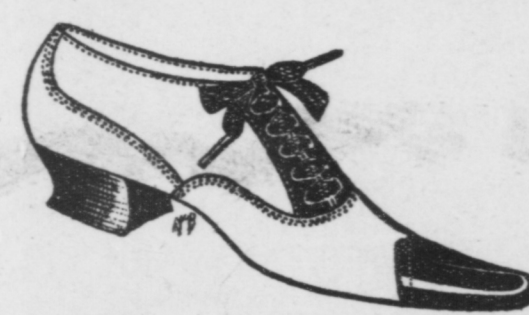
Riley Grannon is attending the Louisville races.

J. E. Kern is buying cavalry horses for the government.

Mann & Fuhrman have shipped a car of horses to Baltimore and a car of mules to Lexington.

Bacon Bros.' mare Mary Turner, (dam of four 2:30 performers), has a bay filly foal by Scarlet Wilkes.

E. A. Tipton, of Montana, was at the Newport races Tuesday securing entries to the stakes offered by the Montana Racing Circuit.



Ladies' Oxfords,

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New Table Linens, from 20c to 75c per yard. Special sale at 50c.

Large line of Penangs at 4c per yard.

Splendid Hosiery for Ladies and Children at 10c per pair.

Notions of all kinds very cheap.

Extra good bleached and unbleached cotton, at 5c per yard.

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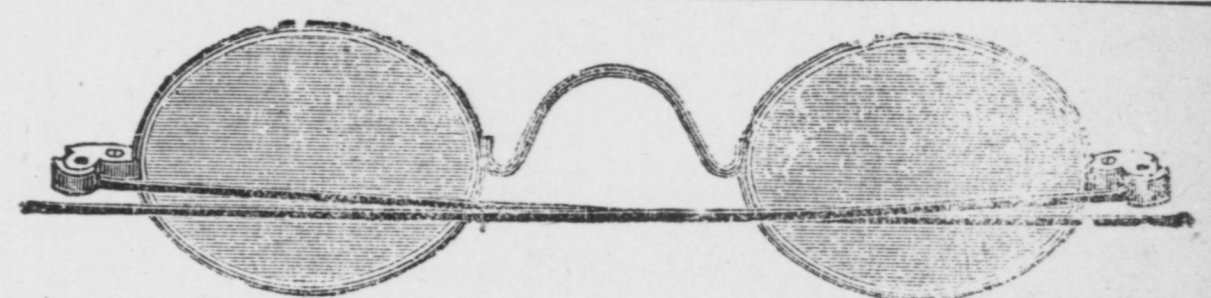
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Next visit will be Thursday, May 26, 1898.

EUROPE HAS TROUBLES ENOUGH OF HER OWN,

washing her soiled linen, without interfering in our little scrap. You will find you have troubles enough of your own, too, if you take your soiled linen to a poor laundry. Be on the safe side and bring it here, where we take special pains to render it beautiful in color and perfect in finish.



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HEALTHY SELDOM HUNGRY.

Stomach's Pangs Said to Be Felt Because of Imperfect Digestion.

"A thoroughly healthy person is never hungry." Thus says Dr. William Henry Porter, of the Strathmore, who is a recognized authority on dietetics. Up to this date a huge appetite has almost invariably been considered as evidence of a good physical condition. Many persons will realize, after weighing the doctor's remark, that their great desire for food at certain times is a warning that all is not well within them. Dr. Porter supports his startling statement by some interesting explanatory facts. The healthy person does not slight his meals, it must be understood, but does ample justice to them. Yet not until he tastes the food before him, says Dr. Porter, does he realize the need of it. He could go about and forget his meal times but for the force of circumstances. The pangs of hunger are felt as an effect of imperfect digestion.

Dr. Porter gives some valuable information on the question which and of what kind shall be the principal meal—morning, noon or night. In speaking of this he said:

"As in the running of an engine, the most intensive consumption of fuel must be just prior to and in accordance with the amount of work to be performed; so, in man, the time for taking, and the quantity and quality of the meal ingested, or the determination of the 'principal meal,' must be in harmony with the work to be accomplished. If the individual is to begin his daily labors between four and six in the morning and terminate them between five and six o'clock in the evening it necessitates the taking of a good and liberal breakfast at an early hour in the morning, from a half hour to an hour before beginning active work, especially so if the last meal of the day previous has been a light one at six o'clock, as is the common habit of this class. Habits of this kind naturally call for the heaviest meal, which also may be called the principal meal, at noon, or near that hour.

"On the other hand, if the custom is to rise between six and eight in the morning, and the largest amount of work is performed between nine in the morning and the succeeding midnight, an entirely different arrangement of the meals must be followed. In this class a light breakfast is in order at about eight in the morning; a stronger, more substantial meal at one o'clock in the afternoon and the heaviest and what justly deserves to be called the principal meal should be taken from six to seven in the evening, because this is more nearly in the middle of the working hours. When the labors are continued until midnight and the hour of resting is after this time a light meal should be taken at 11 o'clock.

"In any of the instances cited, if the foodstuffs taken have been easy of digestion, rapidly absorbed and oxidized, the fires will naturally burn low after several hours' sleep and abstinence from food. On the other hand, if the foodstuffs taken require considerable time for their digestion and are slowly absorbed and oxidized, the heat-producing supply may not be exhausted completely during a somewhat prolonged abstinence from food, or during the hours usually spent for sleeping."—N. Y. Herald.

FOOLED FOR ONCE.

The Smart Hotel Clerk Thought He Knew It All, But He Didn't.

Just after the night clerk came on at the hotel and curled his mustache to his liking, his attention was called to business.

"Kerosene lamp for 237," requested a bell boy.

"Kerosene lamp?" echoed the clerk, as he whirled the register about. "Let me see, Bondy and wife, of Plunkerville, in 237. I thought so. Never been in a first-class hotel before. Go back and show them how to use the electric light. Wonder they didn't send for a tallow candle," and the clerk took several of the corridor loungers into his confidence.

"Lady says if this hotel can't afford a lamp to send up a gas stove, and send it quick," said the bell boy, who had made the round trip in phenomenal time. "She acts pretty hot."

"Pretty cold, I should think. Go back there and open the register, show the lady how to use the water faucets and how to turn off the electricity. Thank the Lord, she can't blow it out."

The next word from 237 came with a rush. It was brought by a vision of loveliness, dressed in bewitching style, her face flushed, and her blue eyes throwing off sparks. "Make out your bill and receipt at once," she said, as her dainty foot beat time on the marble tiling.

"But, Mrs. Bondy—"

"Attend to my order, sir. Include in your bill a carriage and an express wagon to transfer us and our things and tell Mr. Bondy when he comes in that he will find us at the other house, where we will spend the rest of the season. Understand, we must go at once. I want to go to a hotel where it will be possible to warm some milk for baby before the little angel starves to death."

Then the loungers had fun with the clerk, and the best he could muster was a sickly grin.—Detroit Free Press.

How He Won Her.

She—Yes; I shall marry whoever I please.
He—Well, you please me.—Up to Date.

BERTHA'S COMB.

Dear Bertha's hair is golden spun,
As if unraveled from the sun
In brightest noon, and clinging there,
In Bertha's hair, a tortoise comb,
An olden comb high crowned and spare,
Recalls a dear old-fashioned home—
And Bertha's mother, young again,
Makes me the happiest of men.

Dear Bertha's locks are wayward things,
And flutter like the daisy wings
Of humming-birds around a flower,
And Bertha's words are like a song
I heard long since in young love's bower;
And now a youth, who dallies long
Beside her chair, with gesture neat,
Picks up the comb from near her feet.

Ah well! the wheel of time has whirled,
And Bertha's world is not my world!
But that young man who bends the knee
And lifts the bauble from the floor
In bashful haste—it seems to me—
That I have seen that youth before:
For Bertha's mother's comb, I know,
Enthralled me thirty years ago!
—Chicago Record.



TREASURE ISLAND

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON

PART I.

CHAPTER II.—CONTINUED.

At last in strode the captain, slammed the door behind him, without looking to the right or left, and marched straight across the room to where his breakfast awaited him.

"Bill," said the stranger, in a voice that I thought he had tried to make bold and big.

The captain upon round on his heel and fronted us; all the brown had gone out of his face, and even his nose was blue; he had the look of a man who sees a ghost, or the evil one, or something worse, if anything can be; and, upon my word, I felt sorry to see him, all in a moment, turn so old and sick.

"Come, Bill, you know me; you know an old shipmate, Bill, surely," said the stranger.

The captain made a sort of gasp.

"Black Dog?" said he.

"And who else?" returned the other, getting more at his ease. "Black Dog as ever was, come for to see his old shipmate, Billy, at the Admiral Benbow Inn. Ah, Bill, Bill, we have seen a sight of times, you two, since I lost them two talons," holding up his mutilated hand.

"Now, look here," said the captain; "you've run me down; here I am; well, then, speak up; what is it?"

"That's you, Billy," returned Black Dog, "you're in the right of it, Billy. I'll have a glass of rum from this dear child here, as I've took such a liking to; and we'll sit down, if you please, and talk square, like old shipmates."

When I returned with the rum, they were already seated on either side of the captain's breakfast-table—Black Dog next to the door, and sitting sideways, so as to have one eye on his old shipmate, and one, as I thought, on his retreat.

He bade me go, and leave the door wide open. "None of your key-holes for me, sonny," he said; and I left them together, and retired into the bar.

For a long time, though I certainly did my best to listen, I could hear nothing but a low gabbling; but at last the voices began to grow higher, and I could pick up a word or two, mostly oaths, from the captain.

"No, no, no, no; and an end of it!" he cried once. And again: "If it comes to swinging, swing all, say I."

Then all of a sudden there was a tremendous explosion of oaths and other noises—the chair and table went over in a lump, a crash of steel followed, and then a cry of pain, and the next instant I saw Black Dog in full flight, and the captain hotly pursuing, both with drawn cutlasses, and the former streaming blood from the left shoulder. Just at the door, the captain aimed at the fugitive one last tremendous cut, which would certainly have split him to the chin had it not been intercepted by our big signboard of Admiral Benbow. You may see the notch on the lower side of the frame to this day.

That blow was the last of the battle. Once upon the road, Black Dog, in spite of his wound, showed a wonderful clean pair of heels, and disappeared over the edge of the hill in half a minute. The captain, for his part, stood staring at the signboard like a bewildered man. Then he passed his hand over his eyes several times, and at last turned back into the house.

"Jim," says he, "rum;" and, as he spoke, he reeled a little, and caught himself with one hand against the wall.

"You hurt?" cried I.

"Rum," he repeated. "I must get away from here. Rum! rum!"

I ran to fetch it; but I was quite unsteady by all that had fallen out, and I broke one glass and fouled the tap, and while I was still getting in my own way, I heard a loud fall in the parlor, and, running in, beheld the captain lying full length upon the floor. At the same instant my mother, alarmed by the cries and fighting, came running downstairs to help me. Between us we raised his head. He was breathing very loud and hard; but his eyes were closed, and his face a horrible color.

"Dear, deary me," cried my mother, "what a disgrace upon the house! And your poor father sick!"

In the meantime, we had no idea what to do to help the captain, nor any other thought but that he had got his death-hurt in the scuffle with the stranger. I got the rum, to be sure, and tried to put it down his throat; but his teeth were tightly shut, and his jaws as strong as iron. It was a happy relief for us when the door opened and Dr. Livesey came in, on his visit to my father.

"Oh, doctor," we cried, "what shall we do? Where is he wounded?"

"Wounded? A fiddlestick's end!" said the doctor. "No more wounded than you or I. The man has had a stroke, as I warned him. Now, Mrs. Hawkins, just you run upstairs to your husband, and tell him, if possible, nothing about it. For my part, I must do my best to save this fellow's trebly worthless life; and Jim here will get me a basin."

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When I got back with the basin, the doctor had already ripped up the captain's sleeve, and exposed his great sinewy arm. It was tattooed in several places. "Here's luck," "A fair wind," and "Billy Bones his fancy," were very neatly and clearly executed on the forearm; and up near the shoulder there was a sketch of a gallows and a man hanging from it—done, as I thought, with great spirit.

"Prophetic," said the doctor, touching this picture with his finger. "And now, Master Billy Bones, if that be your name, we'll have a look at the color of your blood. Jim," he said, "are you afraid of blood?"

"No, sir," said I.

"Well, then," said he, "you hold the basin;" and with that he took his lancet and opened a vein.

A great deal of blood was taken before the captain opened his eyes and looked mistily about him. First he recognized the doctor with an unmistakable frown; then his glance fell upon me, and he looked relieved. But suddenly his color changed, and he tried to raise himself, crying:

"Where's Black Dog?"

"There is no Black Dog here," said the doctor, "except what you have on your own back. You have been drinking rum; you have had a stroke, precisely as I told you; and I have just, very much against my own will, dragged you head foremost out of the grave. Now, Mr. Bones—"

"That's not my name," he interrupted.

"Much I care," returned the doctor. "It's the name of a buccaneer of my acquaintance; and I call you by it for the sake of shortness, and what I have to say to you is this: one glass of rum won't kill you, but if you take one you'll take another and another, and I stake my wig if you don't break off short, you'll die—do you understand that?—die, and go to your own place, like the man in the Bible. Come, now, make an effort. I'll help you to your bed for once."

Between us, with much trouble, we managed to hoist him upstairs, and laid him on his bed, where his head fell back on the pillow, as if he were almost fainting.

"Now, mind you," said the doctor, "I clear my conscience—the name of rum for you is death."

And with that he went off to see my father, taking me with him by the arm.

"This is nothing," he said, as soon as he had closed the door. "I have drawn blood enough to keep him quiet awhile; he should lie for a week where he is—that is the best thing for him and you; but another stroke would settle him."

CHAPTER III.

THE BLACK SPOT.

About noon I stopped at the captain's door with some cooling drinks and medicines. He was lying very much as we had left him, only a little higher and he seemed both weak and excited.

"Jim," he said, "you're the only one here that's worth anything; and you know I've been always good to you. Never a month but I've given you a silver fourpenny for yourself. And now you see, mate, I'm pretty low, and deserted by all; and Jim, you'll bring me one noggin of rum, now won't you, mate?"

"The doctor—" I began.

But he broke in cursing the doctor, in a feeble voice, but heartily. "Doctors is all swabs," he said; "and that doctor there, why, what do he know about scuffling men? I been in places hot as pitch, and mates dropping round with Yellow Jack, and the blessed land-a-heaving like the sea with earthquakes—what do the doctors know of lands like that? and I lived on rum, I tell you. It's been meat and drink, and man and wife, to me; and if I'm not to have my rum now I'm a poor old hulk on a lee shore, my blood'll be on you, Jim, and that doctor swab;" and he ran on again for awhile with curses. "Look, Jim, how my fingers fidgets," he continued, in the pleading tone. "I can't keep 'em still, not I. I haven't had a drop this blessed day. That doctor's a fool, I tell you. If I don't have a drain of rum, Jim, I'll have the horrors; I seen some on 'em already. I seen old Flint in the corner there, behind you, as plain as print, I seen him; and if I get the horrors, I'm a man that has lived rough, and I'll raise Cain. Your doctor himself said one glass wouldn't hurt me. I'll give you a golden guinea for a noggin, Jim."

He was growing more and more excited, and this alarmed me, for my father was very low that day, and needed quiet; besides, I was reassured by the doctor's words, now quoted to me, and rather offended by the offer of a bribe.

"I want none of your money," said I, "but what you owe my father. I'll get you one glass, and no more."

When I brought it to him, he seized it greedily, and drank it out.

"Ay, ay," said he, "that's some better, sure enough. And now, matey, did that doctor say how long I was to lie here in this bed berth?"

"A week at least," said I.

"Thunder!" he cried. "A week! I can't do that; they'd have a black spot on me by then. The lubbers is going about to get the wind of me this blessed moment; lubbers as couldn't keep what they got, and want to nail what is another's. Is that seemly behavior, now, I want to know? But I'm a sailing soul, I never wasted good money of mine, nor lost it, neither; and I'll trick 'em again. I'm not afraid on 'em. I'll shake out another reef, matey, and dabble 'em again."

As he was thus speaking he had risen from bed with great difficulty, holding to my shoulder with a grip that almost made me cry, and moving his legs like so much dead weight. His words, sprightly as they were in meaning, contrasted sadly with the weakness of the voice in which they were uttered. He

paused when he had got into a sitting position on the edge.

"That doctor's done me," he murmured. "My ears is singing. Lay me back."

Before I could do much to help him he had fallen back again to his former place, where he lay for awhile silent.

"Jim," he said, at length, "you saw that scuffling man to-day?"

"Black Dog?" I asked.

"Ah! Black Dog," says he. "He's a bad 'un; but there's worse that put him on. Now, if I can't get away now, how, and they tip me the black spot, mind you, it's my old sea-chest they're after. You get on a horse—you can, can't you? Well, then you get on a horse, and go to—well, yes, I will—to that eternal doctor swab, and tell him to pipe all hands—magistrates and such—and he'll lay 'em aboard at the Admiral Benbow—all old Flint's crew, man and boy, all on 'em that's left. I was first mate, I was, old Flint's first mate, and I'm the only one as knows the place. He gave it me to Savannah, when he lay a-dying, like as if I was to now, you see. But you won't peach unless they get the black spot on me, or unless you see that Black Dog again or a scuffling man with one leg, Jim—him above all."

"But what is the black spot, captain?" I asked.

"That's a summons, mate, I'll tell you if they get that. But you keep your weather-eye open, Jim, and I'll share with you equals, upon my honor."

He wandered a little longer, his voice growing weaker; but soon after I had given him his medicine, which he took like a child, with the remark, "if ever a seaman wanted drugs, it's me," he fell at last into a heavy, swoon-like sleep in which I left him. What I should have done had all gone well I do not know. Probably I should have told the whole story to the doctor; for I was in mortal fear lest the captain should repent of his confessions and make an end of me. But as things fell out, my poor father died quite suddenly that evening, which put all other matters on one side.

Our natural distress, the visits of the neighbors, the arranging of the funeral, and all the work of the inn to be carried on in the meanwhile, kept me so busy that I had scarcely time to think of the captain, far less to be afraid of him.

He got downstairs next morning, to be sure, and had his meals as usual, though he cut little, and had more, I am afraid, than his usual supply of rum, for he helped himself out of the bar, scowling and blowing through his nose, and no one dared to cross him. On the night before the funeral he was as drunk as ever; and it was shocking, in that house of mourning, to hear him singing away his ugly old sea-song; but, weak as he was, we were all in fear of death for him, and the doctor was suddenly taken up with a case many miles away, and was never near the house after my father's death. I have said the captain was weak; and indeed he seemed rather to grow weaker than in his strength. He clambered up

and downstairs, and went from the parlor to the bar and back again, and sometimes put his nose out-of-doors to smell the sea, holding on to the walls as he went for support, and breathing hard and fast like a man on a steep mountain. He never particularly addressed me, and it is my belief he had as good as forgotten his confidences; but his temper was more flighty, and, allowing for his bodily weakness, more violent than ever. He had an alarming way now when he was drunk of drawing his cutlass and laying it bare before him on the table. But, with all that, he minded people less, and seemed shut up in his own thoughts and rather wandering. Once, for instance, to my extreme wonder, he piped up to a different air, a kind of country love-song, that he must have learned in his youth before he had begun to follow the sea.

So things passed until, the day after the funeral, and about three o'clock of a bitter, foggy, frosty afternoon, I was standing at the door for a moment, full of sad thoughts about my father, when I saw some one drawing slowly near along the road. He was plainly blind, for he tapped before him with a stick, and wore a great green shade over his eyes and nose; and he was hunched, as if with age or weakness, and wore a huge old tattered sea-cloak with a hood that made him appear positively deformed. I never saw in my life a more dreadful-looking figure. He stopped a little from the inn, and raising his voice in an odd sing-song, addressed the air in front of him:

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I held out my hand, and the horrible, soft-spoken, eyeless creature gripped it in a moment like a vise. I was so much startled that I struggled to withdraw; but the blind man pulled me close up to him with a single action of his arm.

"Now, boy," he said, "take me in to the captain."

"Sir," said I, "upon my word I dare not."

"Oh," he sneered, "that's it! Take me in straight, or I'll break your arm." He gave it, as he spoke, a wrench that made me cry out.

"Sir," said I, "it is for yourself I mean. The captain is not what he used to be. He sits with a drawn cutlass. Another gentleman—"

"Come, now, march," interrupted he; and I never heard a voice so cruel, and cold, and ugly as that blind man's. It cowed me more than the pain; and I began to obey him at once, walking straight in at the door and toward the parlor, where the sick old buccaneer was sitting, dazed with rum. The blind man clung close to me, holding me in with one iron fist, and leaning almost more of his weight on me than I could carry. "Lead me straight up to him, and when I'm in full view cry out: 'Here's a friend for you, Bill.' If you don't, I'll do this; and with that he gave me a twitch that I thought would have made me faint. Between this and that, I was so utterly terrified by the blind beggar that I forgot my terror of the captain, and, as I opened the parlor door, cried out the words he had ordered in a trembling voice.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

The Farmer Was Fixed for Him. A well-to-do Georgia farmer invited a merchant friend to dine with him. The merchant was known for his craftiness and had once or twice tried to shoot people for imagined wrongs. The farmer had considerable business dealings with him, and they were on the best of terms. However, the farmer always kept a wary eye on him. Several days after the dinner at the farmer's house the merchant said to him: "I can't account for the queer feelings and impulses I have occasionally. For instance, the other day when I was dining at your table it suddenly came into my mind to kill you. I had a pistol in my pocket at the time, and once I had my hand on it, when the strange feeling passed from me!"

"Don't let that bother you," said the farmer. "I know all about your failings in that line, and I wasn't asleep when I saw your hand to your hip. My son John wuz standin' in the hallway back of you with a shotgun leveled at you an' you jist did save your bacon by changin' your mind. Ef you hadn't he'd er blowed daylight through you!"—Atlanta Constitution.

He Had Tried It. "It is very sad, I admit," conceded the African chief, "but after living on a meat diet for all these years you can hardly expect me to become a vegetarian."

"Then," said the pale-faced missionary, his teeth chattering like a grove of magpies, "if you must eat human flesh, why not—er—utilize some of your own race, instead of confining yourself to—to Europeans?"

"That is exactly what your predecessors wished to know," replied the chief, "but I have frequently tried the experiment when missionaries were out of season."

"Didn't it—succeed?"

"No. I found that a diet of natives invariably gave me that dark-brown taint."—N. Y. Journal.

Class in Philosophy. "If a man refuses a bribe it is not always an indication that he is honest. Give an example."

"Give the price."

"What is fame?"

"Having your statue put in the park and leaving a fund to pay guides to tell your name and what you did."

"In the fable of the Turtle and the Hare, what is the moral?"

"That the turtle knows how to catch on."

"Why should the Irish be good golf players?"

"'Cause they're fond of wearing of the green."—N. Y. Truth.

A Domestic Interlude. Marriageable Daughter—I think, pa, that you do Arthur injustice when you say that he is penurious.

Precocious Brother—What's penurious, pa?

Pa—Why, Bobbie, penurious is close.

Precocious Brother—Then you're right, pa. Mr. Penrose is awful penurious whenever he comes to see Sis.—Boston Courier.

A Matter of Colors. "Sister Millie wants to know if you won't let us take your big awning? She's going to give a porch party tomorrow night and wants to have it on the piazza."

"Wants my awning?"

"Yep. She would have borrowed the Joneses', but theirs is blue, you know, and Millie's hair is red."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Permanent Relief. "I don't believe a patent medicine ever did anybody any good."

"I do."

"Whom?"

"Well, there's Stringers; he got cured of one of the worst cases of financial stringency I ever saw."—Chicago Journal.

Enough Said. "That will do," said Balaam. "You've talked enough."

"Yes," retorted the ass, "I've talked enough to hand you down to immortality."

And the patient animal never spoke again.—Chicago Tribune.

How He Did It. "The doctor put my husband on his feet in a week," she explained. "It was no trouble at all. The bill he presented lifted him out of bed."—Chicago Post.

The great artist Michael Angelo was as famous an architect or designer as he was a painter. He designed the church of St. Peter at Rome, which is built in the form of a Latin cross. He also designed another church in Rome, and, besides these, planned a number of famous structures.

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FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

First Regular Session.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—SENATE.—Again Friday the senate was in the attitude of waiting for business to reach it. A few bills of unimportant character were passed, but no business of general interest was transacted.

HOUSE.—The general debate on the war revenue bill closed Thursday night after eight and a half hours of speech making. The debate Friday lacked the spirit and interest of the previous day. There was little discussion of the internal revenue features of the bill. The democrats continued their assaults on the bond feature and their advocacy of the income tax. The latter was ridiculed as a substitute proposition by the republicans. The authority to borrow money was defended by them as absolutely necessary.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—SENATE.—At Friday's session of the senate the report of the conference on the naval appropriation bill was presented and agreed to. The measure as perfected carried a little more than \$37,000,000. No other business of general importance was transacted. A bill granting permission to the Chattanooga Rapid Transit Co. to cross the Dry Valley road and extend its lines to Chickamauga National park was passed. At 1:35 p. m., on motion of Mr. Allison, the senate went into executive session and at 1:45 p. m. adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.—The bill to provide additional taxes and loans to carry on the war went through the house Friday by 181 to 129, very nearly a party vote, after many attempts to amend. Mr. Dingley has no idea how long the senate will be in dealing with it. The proceedings were interesting all day. Fortunately there were no unpleasant, sensational scenes and no unusually quarrels. A motion by Mr. Lewis (dem., Wash.) to make the bonds redeemable specifically in gold or silver coin at the option of the government was defeated—106 to 138. Another, by Mr. Shafer, to make the bonds redeemable one-half in gold and one-half in silver, met a similar fate. Several other proposals of amendment were voted down. The vote was then taken upon the McMillan income tax substitute and it was defeated—123 to 143.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—SENATE.—At the opening of the senate's session the chaplain offered devout thanks for the glorious victory won by Commodore Dewey's squadron. Mr. Turpie (ind.), chairman of the democratic caucus, presented an order appointing Mr. Chilton (dem., Tex.) to fill the vacancy on the finance committee caused by the death of Senator Walthall. The order was adopted. A conference on the sundry civil bill was held and Mr. Allison (dem., Wash.) and Mr. Gorman were named as the senate conferees. The final conference report on the naval appropriation bill was agreed to. A bill to amend the act to permit the use of right of way through public lands to tramways, canals and reservoirs was passed. Several war measures were passed by the senate and, notwithstanding their importance, not one of them elicited the slightest debate. Probably the most important measure passed by the senate was the emergency war deficiency bill, carrying \$20,000,000. Not more than five minutes were consumed in passing it, that being occupied in reading the measure.

HOUSE.—The passage of the emergency war appropriation bill was the feature of Monday's action by the house. The naval appropriation bill with the senate amendments provided for the payment of officers of the navy for the use of their inventions by the government stricken out was reported from conference and passed. It now goes to the president. Mr. Lacey (dem.) presented the conference report on the general Alaskan bill extending the homestead laws to and granting railroad rights of way in that territory. The bill to increase the number of surgeons in the army was passed. A resolution from the senate providing for the adjustment and settlement of claims and counter claims between the United States and the state of Tennessee was passed. Mr. Loud (Cal.) called up a resolution providing for the creation of a congressional commission to make an exhaustive examination into the postal service and report to congress. In support of the resolution Messrs. Loud and Fleming (Ga.) said frequent statements had been made in congress and the press suggesting a bush that had grown up in the service and the field was apparently one inviting investigation. The resolution was passed.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—SENATE.—No business of general importance transacted Tuesday. The senate committee on finance resumed its sitting at 10:30 Tuesday, hearing Secretary Gage on the necessity for including in the war revenue bill authority for the issuance of bonds. The secretary supplied the committee with all the information in his possession as to the cost of the war up to date, and also the best estimates obtainable of future expenses. Secretary Gage told the committee that the best estimates obtainable indicate that for the next two years the war will increase the governmental expenditures about \$50,000,000. By that time the entire amount in the treasury, with the exception of the gold reserve, would be exhausted, and \$20,000,000 of the reserve be taken.

HOUSE.—What promised to be an uneventful and uninteresting session of the house was thrown suddenly, after three hours' consideration of private bills, into a session of spirited speech-making among democratic members that savored at times much of acrimony. The storm was precipitated by Mr. Lewis (dem., Wash.), who referred in the course of a speech to a recent vote of Mr. Cummins (N. Y.) in support of the war revenue bill with its incorporated bond feature. He made reference to Mr. Cummins' assertion that this period was a time for placing in country about party, intimating that the New York member had served the republican party and perhaps contributed to the satisfaction of unparliamentary monopolists and capitalists. This brought an impassioned and patriotic speech in reply from Mr. Cummins, interspersed with some sarcastic comments that intensified the interest and called an outpouring of members from the cloak rooms.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—SENATE.—The following joint resolution was passed Wednesday: In all cases not provided for by article second, clause fifth, of the constitution, where there is no person entitled to discharge the duties of president the same shall devolve upon the vice president. The congress may by law provide for the case where there is no person entitled to hold the office of president or vice president, declaring what officer shall act as president, and such officer shall act accordingly until the disability shall be removed or a president shall be elected. The conference report on the fortifications appropriation bill was presented and agreed to.

HOUSE.—The house Wednesday adopted the conference report upon the fortification bill. The remainder of the session was consumed with the consideration of the Alaskan land bill and a resolution for the repeal of an act prohibiting the passage of importations in bond through the territory of the United States into the "free zone" of Mexico. The latter was passed, but the Alaskan measure went over.

Torpedo Boat Ericsson Missing.
MIAMI, Fla., May 5.—The torpedo boat Ericsson has been missing since Saturday. It is feared she may have sunk. She has not been seen by any of the other vessels in Adm. Sampson's squadron since a terrific gale struck them Saturday, and it was known she was short of coal.

Fatal Explosion in a Rolling Mill.
NEW YORK, May 5.—Part of the Passaic rolling mills at Paterson, N. J., was blown up Wednesday. One man was killed and three injured. The explosion occurred in the boiler and gas section of the building. The damage to the works was \$75,000.

Capt. Hart to Be Pardoned.
WASHINGTON, May 5.—The president announced Wednesday he would shortly pardon Capt. John D. Hart, of the filibustering steamer *Laurada*, now serving a two-year's sentence in the penitentiary for his Cuban filibustering operations.

IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Lord Charles Beresford, M. P., was summoned before a police court lately for not muzzling his dog. He pleaded that he was sorry and that the dog had died since, but was fined ten shillings.

When the Gordon Highlanders went into action at Dargai it appears from the confession of one of the wounded pipers that each of the six pipers sent ahead played a different tune. In spite of this the Gordons followed them.

Lord Bute has tried to encourage marriage at Cardiff, Wales, by offering a dowry once a year to a deserving girl. The mayor of the town reports, however, that during a whole year he has received not a single application.

A British spinster, who chastised her servant merely with "her fists, a poker, a clothes pole, a stick, a hammer and the arm of a chair, and by compressing her neck and kicking her," has been punished by the unusually severe sentence of 12 months' imprisonment.

A curiously annoying theft is that of a negative film of the late solar eclipse, taken for the cinematograph by one of the British astronomical expeditions to India. Somewhere between Buxar, in India, and London, one of the boxes was opened and only the eclipse film taken out.

William Rees, of Llandovery, pig killer, died recently at the age of 104 years, having worked at his calling till within ten days of his death. He boasted that he had killed over 20,000 pigs. He was seized by a press gang before the battle of Waterloo, but was released, as he was too small.

Miss Charlotte Yonge's name is to be given to three free scholarships for girls, for which her admirers, headed by the princess of Wales, are collecting money in England. Miss Yonge is 75 years of age now, and has written more than 80 books. "The Heir of Redcliffe" first appeared 45 years ago, and "The Daisy Chain" three years later.

STYLES FOR THE TOTS.

Qaker gray is a prominent shade in the makeup of the juvenile's wardrobe this spring.

For flouses, shirt waists and little dresses for little men, wool taffeta is just the thing mothers have been looking for.

Coats for infants are made without the short shoulder cape of the winter, the place of which is taken by fancy sleeve pieces. Crepon in white or light shades is very suitable and pretty for a dressy coat for a little child. Ribbed, quilted or gathered, is the favorite garniture for these.

Cotton or summer-weight cashmere stockings for girls or boys are brilliantly plaided. They look exceedingly stylish when worn with a white suit and sash and tie of plaid ribbon to match.

Jacket costumes are quite as popular for little women as for their mothers and elder sisters. The children follow the lead of the grown-ups in having their gowns strictly tailor made of smooth faced cloth. Plaid silk skirts and blouses are worn with them.

New and effective for small boys' wear are the large pique collars cut in numerous points and trimmed with rows of narrow braid. They look equally well with a dark or a light blouse, and will not rumple nearly so easily as the lawn kind, with embroidered ruffles.—Leisure Hours.

IN MANY LANDS.

Le Petit Congolais, the first newspaper published in the Congo Free State, made its appearance at the end of February.

The old Guion line steamer *Arizona*, which once held the Atlantic record, has been refitted and will be used in the North Pacific. She is an iron ship and is 19 years old.

An 80-year-old elephant, whose life has hitherto been devoted to crushing the life out of condemned criminals in India, has been acquired by a Hamburg dealer for a Berlin menagerie.

What struck a Flume (Austria) warehouse and set it on fire turns out to have been a meteor. It was assumed to have been lightning till a four-ton meteoric stone was found in a deep hole in the cellar.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, May 5.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle, common	\$ 2 75 @ 3 50
Select butchers	4 15 @ 4 40
CALVES—Fair to good light	5 00 @ 5 75
BOC—Common	3 25 @ 3 50
Mixed packers	3 90 @ 4 00
Light shippers	3 70 @ 4 00
SHEEP—Choice	3 50 @ 3 75
LAMBS—Spring	5 00 @ 5 00
FLOUR—Winter family	4 25 @ 4 35
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	1 10 @ 1 10
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 3 red	1 00 @ 1 00
Corn—No. 2 mixed	50 @ 57
Oats—No. 2	30 @ 31 1/2
Hay—No. 2	10 75 @ 11 50
PROVISIONS—Mess pork	11 75 @ 11 75
Lard—Prime steam	6 75 @ 6 75
BUTTER—Choice dairy	10 @ 11
Prime to choice creamery	18 @ 18 1/2
APPLES—Per bush	3 00 @ 3 50
POTATOES—Per bush	75 @ 85
CHICAGO.	
FLOUR—Winter patents	5 25 @ 5 50
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	1 21 @ 1 30
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 3 red	1 05 @ 1 15
CORN—No. 2	30 @ 32 1/2
OATS—No. 2	30 @ 30 1/2
PORK—Mess	11 10 @ 11 15
LARD—Steam	5 90 @ 5 95
NEW YORK.	
FLOUR—Winter patent	5 35 @ 5 75
WHEAT—No. 2 red	1 18 @ 1 18 1/2
CORN—No. 2 mixed	50 @ 40
RYE	57 1/2 @ 57 1/2
OATS—No. 2	30 @ 30 1/2
PORK—New Mess	10 75 @ 11 00
LARD—Western	6 00 @ 6 03
BALTIMORE.	
FLOUR—Family	5 00 @ 5 30
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2	1 18 @ 1 18 1/2
Southern—Wheat	1 13 @ 1 18
Corn—Mixed	38 1/2 @ 38 1/2
Oats—No. 2 white	38 @ 38 1/2
Rye—No. 2 western	61 @ 61
CATTLE—First quality	4 50 @ 4 75
HOGS—Western	4 25 @ 4 35
INDIANAPOLIS.	
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2	1 05 @ 1 05
Corn	32 @ 32
Oats—No. 2 mixed	29 @ 29
LOUISVILLE.	
FLOUR—Winter patent	3 75 @ 4 00
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	1 00 @ 1 00
Corn	37 1/2 @ 37 1/2
Oats—Mixed	25 @ 25
PORK—Mess	11 50 @ 11 50
LARD—Steam	5 25 @ 5 25

A WOMAN'S BURDEN.

From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich. The women of to-day are not as strong as their grandmothers. They are hearing a burden in silence that grows heavier day by day; that is sapping their vitality and clouding their happiness.

Mrs. Alexander B. Clark, of 417 Michigan Avenue, Detroit, is a typical woman of to-day. A wife with such a burden as only a loving wife can have. But the joys of her life were marred by the existence of disease. Suffering as thousands of her sisters have suffered, she almost despaired of life and yet she was cured.

"For five years I suffered with ovarian trouble," is Mrs. Clark's own version of the story. "I was not free one single day from headache and intense twitching pains in my neck and shoulders. For months at a time I would be confined to my bed. At times black spots would appear before my eyes and I would be 'I became blind.'"

"It was then I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I heard that they had cured cases like mine and I tried them. They cured me! They brought sunshine to my life and filled my cup with happiness. The headache is gone; the twitching is gone; the nervousness is gone; the trembling has ceased, and I have gained twenty-six pounds. Health and strength is mine and I am thankful to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for the blessing."

These pills are a boon to womankind. Acting directly on the blood and nerves, they restore the requisite vitality to all parts of the body; creating functional regularity and perfect harmony throughout the nervous system. The pallor of the cheeks is changed to the delicate flush of health; the eyes brighten; the muscles grow elastic; ambition is created and good health returns.

Coarse and Brutal.

History states that a certain Roman official of some importance was killed one day by a falling tile while indulging in a parade. A young man of the family of Hur was charged with his death and brought before the court. The judge, after hearing the case, turned to the prisoner and said: "I sentence you to the mines for life."

"To the mines?" echoed Ben Hur. "Yes, to the mines," retorted the facetious magistrate; "there are great mining facilities on the Mediterranean. You will find all the coal you want in the galleys."

At this brutal jest it is said the attorney for the prosecution laughed long and loud, but Ben Hur saw no joke in the galleys—he was not a prisoner.—Detroit Free Press.

A Peculiar Feeling.

The sensation of homesickness has been variously described, but never more graphically than by a little girl, who, miles away from home and mamma, sat heavy-eyed and silent at a hotel table.

"Aren't you hungry, dear?" asked her aunt, with whom she was traveling. "No." "Does your head ache?" "No." "What is the matter?"

The child's lip quivered, and she said, in a tone that broke the heart: "I'm so seasick for home!"—Albany Argus.

Homeseekers' Excursions.

On the first and third Tuesdays in May and June, 1898, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will send round-trip excursion tickets (good for 21 days) to all many points in South and North Dakota, and other western and southwestern states, at practically one fare for the round trip.

Take a trip west and see what an amount of good land can be purchased for very little money. Further information as to routes, prices of farm lands, etc., may be obtained on application to any coupon ticket agent or by addressing George H. Hefford, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Greatness Recognized.

Stranger! What's going on here to-day? There seems to be a celebration of some kind in progress.

Native—Yes; we're givin' Cy Simpson a little blow-out on gittin' back from the city without buyin' a gold brick. He's the first citizen of this place that ever done it.—Chicago Evening News.

Give the Children a Drink

called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it, because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties.

Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1/4 as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

Very few people know good stationery when they see it.—Washington Democrat.

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If you are puzzled about yourself, write freely and fully to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and secure the advice which she offers free of charge to all women. This is the advice that has brought sunshine into many homes which nervousness and irritability had nearly wrecked.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; a Woman's Remedy for Woman's ills

For five years I suffered with ovarian trouble," is Mrs. Clark's own version of the story. "I was not free one single day from headache and intense twitching pains in my neck and shoulders. For months at a time I would be confined to my bed. At times black spots would appear before my eyes and I would be 'I became blind.'"

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"Boys," began the Sunday school superintendent, impressively, "I hope none of you will ever get into the reprehensible habit of alluding to your father as 'the old man.' When you grow up, no matter how big or old you may be, you should always look up to and respect the silver hairs of your father, who has grown bent and gray working for you in your helpless infancy. Now, all of you who think you can do this please raise your right hands."

Up went every hand except one. Sternly eyeing the delinquent, the superintendent solemnly observed: "Why, young man, I am horrified—absolutely horrified—as well as astonished at your behavior. Don't you wish to raise your hand and put yourself on record as being willing to respect the gray hairs of your father when you grow up to be a man?"

"No. No use tryin'; can't do it now," unblushingly responded the lad.

"Why not, sonny?" "Cause he ain't liable to have no gray hair," Dad' said, chirped the youthful philosopher triumphantly, and amid a general titter the discomfited superintendent gave it up and passed on to something else.—Tit-Bits.

"Say, Hiram, be you agoin' to town to-day?" "Yes, Uncle Bill, I got to git the mare shod and do some high old shoppin' for the wimmen folks besides. Can I git anythin' for you?"

"Well, yes, you see your Aunt Lucy says she wants a heap of stuff to the store, but she don't reckon she'd trust me nor no one else to buy her the new caliker dress she's bent on havin', so she's got ter go and do the selectin' of it herself and if you just give her a lift there and back it'll save me hitches."

"All right, Uncle Bill, I'll be mighty glad of the opportunity, for I promised Mandy and all three of the gals a genuine surprise all around if things panned out satisfactory on the sale of that wheat, which they did, and now I propose to keep my promise in good shape and Aunt Lucy, she knows just the very kind of colors the gals like in print goods and what ter select and how much for each dress and I want them and Mandy to have the very best there is; the kind of dress goods I heard Aunt Lucy say was always marked on the tags with the name of William Simpson & Sons. She says that's the kind that always looks bright and wears well and don't fade. I tell you what, Uncle Bill, they ain't nobody enjoys seein' well dressed wimmen folks around the house no better than me and when Aunt Lucy and I get through buyin' print goods and calico to-day I guess William Simpson & Sons'll think this town ain't no slouch for well dressed gals and wimmen."

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There are many medicines that palliate asthma. There are few that do more than relieve for a time the oppressed breathing of the sufferer. There are few diseases more troublesome and more irritating than asthma. It interferes alike with business and with pleasure. It prevents enjoyment of the day and makes the night a terror. A remedy for asthma would be hailed by thousands as the greatest possible boon that could be offered them. There is a remedy for asthma. Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has cured hundreds of cases of this disease, and testimonials to its efficacy from those who have tried the remedy are multiplying with every year. The cases presented in the testimonials that follow may be taken as exemplifying the quick and radical action of this great remedy.

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"While on the Gasconade River, Ga., I

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DRUMMER'S QUEER STORY.

Made Them Drink to His Early Grave and Survived Them All.

A hale and hearty traveling man with pink skin and white hair—a condition of complexion which, by the way, not every traveling man lives to reach—was renewing his youth with a party of young and festive drummers. Drinks were going round freely, and when one of the "boys" turned down his glass there was considerable remonstrance on the part of his companions at his refusal to have "just one more."

The white haired man quietly cut the discussion short by saying, "That reminds me."

The old drummer flicked the ashes from his cigar and settled back in his chair. "It was a long time ago," said he, "and it was in the old American House in this city. There were five young men seated in a room, just as we are here tonight, only they were all feeling 'pretty good,' and there wasn't any old man around to bore them with a story. But along about midnight one of the party turned down his glass just as my young friend here has done. He said he had had enough, and goodness knows he had. His determination was greeted most hilariously as a good joke. He steadily declined, however, though the wine was brought and set before him, but the taunts and innuendoes of his comrades finally exasperated him so that he exclaimed rather petulantly, but half in fun, 'Well, boys, I'll join you once more if you will drink to an early grave for me.' The toast was proposed uproariously and drank standing. But somehow after that the fun was not so furious. Things quieted down. The men seemed to half realize that to drink to a man's death wasn't such a good joke after all, and one by one they made excuses and went off to bed."

Here the old man paused. "Did the man die?" queried he who had refused to "have another" with some interest. "No," was the reply. "He is the only one of the five now alive to tell the tale."

—Buffalo News.

THE SANCY DIAMOND.

This Magnificent Jewel Will Be Owned by Pauline Astor.

In the ordinary course of events Miss Pauline Astor will some day become possessor of the most famous and magnificent diamond owned outside of a crown treasure. The gem in question is the world famous Sancy diamond, owned by her father, and were it to appear among the jewels worn at any court function or royal drawing room it would entirely throw into the shade every other gem there except the Kohinoor, which the queen always wears on state occasions as a brooch.

The Sancy is a stone which is possessed of a remarkable history. Weighing about 54 carats, it at one time formed part of the crown jewels of Duke Charles the Bold of Burgundy, and on his death in battle in Switzerland was found set either in his helmet or sword hilt. The Swiss sold it to the French king of the day, and from that time forth it became one of the crown jewels of France.

It disappeared at the time of the revolution, reappeared at the restoration and at the time of the second revolution in 1830 passed by purchase into the possession of Anatole Demidoff, the Muscovite millionaire. It was worn for a time by Demidoff's wife, Princess Mathilde Bonaparte, but he took it from her before their separation and then bequeathed it to his nephew, Paul Demidoff. The latter sold it in the sixties for the sum of \$200,000, a ridiculously small price, to the late Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, the Parsee millionaire and philanthropist of Bombay. After his demise his heirs put it once more in the market, and it was purchased by William Waldorf Astor by private contract, no mention being made of the price paid.—Philadelphia Times.

Examination Stories.
Isis of Oxford tells two good examination stories. The first is a candidate who in the divinity viva voce was asked to translate a portion of the gospels. As he did not stop at the end of that portion the examiner said to him: "Thank you, Mr. —, that will do. We are quite satisfied with your paper." "Oh, please," was the answer, "do let me go on. I should so like to find out how this story ends." Modern history furnishes the other. One candidate's paper in the Oxford local examination contained the following luminous and surprising passage, "General Wolfe boldly attacked the Arabian knights without waiting for the other three corpses to come up."

Text Didn't Apply.
Mrs. Northside was telling about the trouble Mrs. Manchester was having with her maids and was apparently taking much pleasure out of her difficulties. "You should not be glad because Mrs. Manchester is in trouble," said Mr. Northside. "You should remember that the Bible says, 'Rejoice not when thine enemy falleth.'"

"Oh, that's all right!" replied Mrs. Northside briskly. "Mrs. Manchester isn't an enemy at all; she is my dearest friend." —Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Accidental Death.
"I understand his death was due to an accident," said the man from the east. "That's what it was, stranger," replied the native. "Bill only meant to wing him when he shot, but somebody joggled his arm." —Chicago Post.

The Whittier homestead, in Haverhill, Mass., is open to visitors on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons on the payment of 10 cents each and on Saturday afternoon on the payment of 5 cents. All visitors are asked to register.

Aristotle believed that the proper age for marriage was 37 years for a man and 18 for a woman.

CARLISLE.

News Culled From Nicholas County Precincts.

From the Mercury.

Closing exercises of the city graded school takes place on the 20th.

DIED.—At her home near Flora, Friday, April 29th, 1898, Mrs. Joseph H. Berry.

DIED.—On Friday, April 29th, 1898, the three-year-old daughter of Mrs. L. P. Young. Burial at Carlisle Cemetery.

The ladies of the Christian Church will serve a regular Court day dinner in the basement of their church Monday.

Wm. Dudley has bought the Glenn Bros. lot adjoining the depot, corner of Maple and Water streets, and will erect there a large tobacco warehouse.

Judge Tilton appointed T. C. Collier, J. K. Breslin and W. B. Ratliff Commissioners to attend the Commercial Convention at Louisville next week.

Perry M. Shy, a Nicholas county boy, son of John D. Shy, late of Bartlettville, won the contest to represent the Paris city school in the declamatory contest at Richmond on the 26th of May.

The Nicholas county volunteers were at Blue Lick Springs Saturday drilling and mustering in new material. They will be ready to go at the first drum tap, and stay until the last shot has been fired.

The May term of the Nicholas Circuit Court began Monday with Judge W. W. Kimbrough on the bench, and Commonwealth's Attorney L. P. Fryer, present. The following gentlemen compose the grand jury with S. H. Dalzell, foreman: F. A. Herbert, S. H. Dalzell, Isaac Kerns, J. W. Myers, W. A. Fowle, I. N. Handley, Chas. McVey, Jr., John M. Clark, John K. Taylor, Wm. McIntire, Sr., John G. Blair, Andrew Coons.

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BOURBON CIRCUIT COURT

Agricultural Bank of Paris, P. vs. John W. Turner, Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment of the Bourbon Circuit Court rendered in the above styled cause on the 2d day of April, 1898, I will sell publicly at the Court House door in Paris, Kentucky, on

SATURDAY, MAY 21ST, 1898,

at about the hour of noon, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All of the right, title and interest of the said John W. Turner in and to a tract of about 240 or 245 acres of land lying in Bourbon county, Kentucky, bounded by the lands of Mrs. Lucinda Ireland on the E., by the Kentucky Midland Railway Company on the S., by the lands of Blake and Simpson on the W. and being the same land devised to the said John W. Turner for life by his father, Chas. Turner, except a small portion thereof conveyed to W. H. Clay; but there is included in the above boundary of 240 or 245 acres a tract of about 19 or 21 acres conveyed to said Turner by W. H. Clay, by deed of record in the office of the Clerk of Bourbon County Court, to which reference is made for a more particular description.

Also, one lot of ground located in Lexington, Kentucky, being lot No. 16 in Block No. 12 of London Park property of the Belt Line Company, fronting 50 feet on the W. side of Jackson Street and running back 175 feet in lines parallel to 7th Street.

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Also, one lot of ground located in Lexington, Kentucky, being lot No. 18 in Block No. 12 of London Park property of the Belt Line Company, fronting on the W. side of Jackson street and running back 175 feet.

Or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the plaintiff's debt, interest and costs as hereinafter stated.

Said sale will be made upon credits of six and twelve months for equal parts of the purchase money, for which the purchaser will be required to execute bonds with good surety to be approved by the undersigned Master Commissioner, payable to himself and bearing interest from date until paid at the rate of six per cent. having the force and effect of judgments.

Said sale is made to satisfy a judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant herein for the sum of \$3,825.02, with interest thereon from February 26th, 1898, until paid at the rate of six per cent. per annum, amounting, principal and interest, on the day of sale to the sum of \$3,889.34 and the costs of this suit \$127.45, making the sum total to be raised on the day of sale the sum of \$4,016.79.

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